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Summary statement by the Secretary-General on matters of which the Security Council is seized and on the stage reached in their consideration

Addendum

Pursuant to rule 11 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in documents S/2000/40 of 15 February 2000, S/2000/40/Add.1 of 21 February 2000, S/2000/40/Add.5 of 28 March 2000, S/2000/40/Add.8 of 14 April 2000, S/2000/40/Add.9 of 19 April 2000 and S/2000/40/Add.15 of 23 May 2000.

During the week ending 20 May 2000, the Security Council took action on the following items:

The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo (*see* S/1997/40/Add.21; S/1998/44/Add.35 and 49; S/1999/25/Add.10, 13, 24, 30, 43, 47 and 49; and S/2000/40/Add.3, 7, 16 and 17; and *see also* S/1996/15/Add.43-45; S/1997/40/Add.5, 7, 9, 13, 16 and 17; and S/1998/44/Add.28)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 4143rd meeting, held on 17 May 2000 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the report of the Security Council mission on its visit to the Democratic Republic of the Congo from 4 to 8 May 2000 (S/2000/416). There was one suspension and one resumption of the meeting.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Algeria, Botswana, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Japan, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Pakistan, Portugal, Rwanda, South Africa, Swaziland, the United Republic of Tanzania, Zambia and Zimbabwe, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia (*see* S/1998/44/Add.25; S/1999/25/Add.3, 5 and 7; and S/2000/40/Add.18)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 4144th meeting, held on 17 May 2000 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

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The President drew attention to a draft resolution (S/2000/440) submitted by Bangladesh, Canada, the Netherlands, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/2000/440, and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1298 (2000) (for the text, see S/RES/1298 (2000); to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-fifth Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 2000*).

The situation in Sierra Leone (*see* S/1995/40/Add.47; S/1996/15/Add.6, 11 and 48; S/1997/40/Add.21, 27, 31, 40 and 45; S/1998/44/Add.8, 11, 15, 20, 22, 28 and 50; S/1999/25 and Add.1, 9, 18, 22, 32, 41 and 48; and S/2000/40/Add.5, 10, 17 and 18)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 4145th meeting, held on 19 May 2000 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it a letter dated 17 May 2000 from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council (S/2000/446).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Sierra Leone, at his request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to a draft resolution (S/2000/449) that had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/2000/449, and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1299 (2000) (for the text, see S/RES/1299 (2000); to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-fifth Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 2000*).